

If we could only write some poetry
About flowers and books and things,
Of shady nooks, of leafy bowers,
Of everything that sings,
We'd tell how bright this life 'ud be,
And how we'd love to live
As free as wave upon the sea,
And how we'd lova to give
To poor and lowly every day.
If we could get a raise in pay.

Then we are, and we got George to promise to tell us the rest of that story when he comes back here again next sea-son.

Emmett Lovy is here!
Back from Atlania and other places, he comes to see his constituents, and we must congratulate Mister Elliott and Ottenheimer for having him with them.

American Federation of Musi-

Cians.

The Richmond Musical Association will be represented in the convention of the Federation of Musicians, which meets in New York on the 18th of May next, by Mr. J. T. Pulling. The federation has a membership of over four hundred societies, with a membership of about thirty-five thousand. Mr. Pulling is now serving his third term as president of the Richmond society.

Wants to Find Fils Modier.

Henry Loyd, of Linton, Jad., who went from Virginia, is anxious to ascertain the address of his mother, Mrs. Parthenia Loyd, who, is supposed to be still living in this State. A letter addressed to her was forwarded to Hoperiul, Var, but nothing was known there of her whereabouts, and J. T. Lloyd, to whom the letter was handed, has sent it to The Times-Dispatch in the hope that by this means Mrs. Loyd or Lloyd may be reached.

AT THE THEATRES.

The twelfth season for a play is as strong a recommendation as is needed, and "Shore Acres" has justly deserved the success it has achieved. Unlike all other passoral plays, it depends entirely upon its story, and it introduces nother pastoral plays, in depends entirely upon its story, and it introduces no cheap variety effects in all ract patronage. It is a beautiful play, and discerning cities have long sance ageepted it as an American classic. "Shore Acres" will be at the Academy this afternoon and tonight.

written by Herbert Hall Winslow, aided and abetted by the comedian himself. The scenes in the play are laid in Indiana, and Mr. Kendall will play the part of Joe Miller, one of the nondescripts who, after he is worthless in all other occupations, becomes a vinegar buyer. Liebler and Company have given Mr. Kendall a splendid supporting company, including such people as C. H. Crosby, Frank A. Lyon, Ralph Dean, Roy Fairchild, John D. Garrick, Harry Hanlon, Frank A. Howson, Jr., Helen Salinger, Lottle Aller, Lucille La Verne and June Matthews.

"Busy" Three Times.

Busy Infee lines.

Busy Lay' has struck the city just right, and each performance at the Bijou Theatre sees the crowds of the preceding performance duplicated. The music is infectious, for nearly all who come away are heard humming some one of the popular airs. No more humorous production has been seen this reason than the one now running at the Bijou. The play is here for three more performance—to-night Saturday, matinee and night.

"Arizona." the play which comes to the Bijou Theatre next week, there are three distinguished persons. One is Alis Elizabeth Led. Who plays Bonta, "a native of Memphis, and said to be a very beautiful woman. The fiext agr. Roberto Deshon, a native of Nicaragus, who is exited from his home for ensaging in a revolution, and Sachire Otda. a Japanese, who is trying to get released from his engagement in order to help with the Russians Seats for the engagement are on sale at the box-office.

Chicken thieves are again invading the hen houses of Fulton Hill and spreading havoc. Mrs. Rosa Trant lost twenty-five, and other residents have lost smaller

and other residents have lost smaller quantities.

The First Station officers captured a bag of chickens belonging to D. Holleian, of Twenty-ninth and Broad Strees, after chasing the negro thieves and firing at them several times.

Careful watch is being maintained by the police to land the thieves

LIVILEND NOTICES.

SLOUS-SHEFFIELD

The Beard of Directors have this day de-clared a DIVIDIEND OF ONE AND THEEL-(LUARTERS 1/4 per cent.) PER CENT. upon the Preferred Stock of the Company out of straining, invalid APRIL 1st, 18c) at the offi-or the Guaranty True Colleged at 3 of clock P. Frankfert 18t, and reopends on the more law of April 2d, 1898.

E. I. MCRRIS, E. L. MCRRIS,

Classified Want Advertising

is 1 cent per word Not Cash in ADVANCE, with a minimum cost 25 cents for each Insertion. The same rate applies to deaths, narriages, obituaries and all other classified notices. No display type

FULTON.

Take you Want Ads, to the People's Drug Store, No. 3900 Williamsburg Avenue, Branch Times-Dispatch.

25 Words for 25c. PAPERS ON SALE.

OST—A SMALL GOLD WATCH, BETWEEN Monroe and Marshail and Brook Avenue and Clay Street; a watch with the initials F. V. V.; F. V. E. en one side and 1901 on the other. Liberal reward if returned to 320 W. Marshail Street.

LOST-YESTERDAY BETWEEN MECHAN-leaville Pike, Government Road, Fulton, Main Street, Third and Pranklin, a laddes 'god WATCH, Reward II left at 2000 E, Main Street.

IARN \$50 TO \$100 MONTHLY CORRESPOND-ing for newspapers; \$5 column for work in spare time; no canvassing. Send for par-ticulars. NORTHERN PHESS SYNDICATE, Lockport, N. Y.

WANTED, FO4: U. S. ARMY: Ablebodled, unmarried men, between ages of 11 and 35, citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 110 East Broad Street, Richmond, Va.

WANTED, AT ONCE, TWO GOOD PLOW: men and all-round farm hands; single, if white-single or married, if colored. Apply Wednesday, 18th, at SEABOARD AIR LINE, 870 E. Main, etty.

WANTED, AN EXPERIENCED MALE STEnographer: state age, experience, salary ex-pected and how soon can report. Addres-VIRGINIA BRIDGE & IRON COMPANY

WANTED, A MAN TO WORK MY FARM for part in crop: team furnished; house on farm, if man of family or single, Call on or address E. B., COLEMAN, Green Bay, Va.

WANTED, AT ONCE, A JOB PRESS FEED-or who can make ready his own work: steady Job and good wages. Address P. O. Box 18i, Lynchburg, Va.

WANTED, AN OFFICE MAN FOR AN IN surance company; light work and hours from 2 to 4 P. M.; salary \$35 month; experience not essential. INSURANCE, care this office.

VANTED, A TRASURER FOR A MANU facturing company now organizing; must have \$6,000 to invest; good salary to the right man. Address TRASURER, care this office.

HELP WANTED -- Female.

ADIES FOR PIECE WORK AT HOSTE steady, Call strictly 12 to 1, S18 E. Clay St WANTED, A GOOD COOK AND A NURSE.

Apply 1842 West Franklin Street. References
required.

SITUATION WANTED, Female

WANTED-YOUNG LADY DESTRES A POSI-tian as tacher or as a companion for refined lady; references. Address lox 127, Reanoke, Va.

SENSIBLE BUSINESS INVESTMENT-get new and attractive signs—they bring bus-ness. SOUTHERN ADV. SIGN COMPAN-INCORPORATED, 1312 E. Main. 'Phone 123.

FOUND-BEST PLACE FOR LADIES TO find sewing machine needles, parts of all kinds, repairing, locks, keys, BICKER-STAFFS BICYCLE HOSPITAL, Eighteenth and Main.

LATEST OUT.

HOUSE CLEANING TIME WILL SOON HE here and you will want some new furniture or matting. Of course, you want to get the best you can get for your money, so come to us, get our prices and compare them with any other house in the city if given the chance we will make the city if given the case payments. OSTRANDER'S, 229 W. Hroad Street.

PHOTO SPECIAL

WANTED, THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN PAY-ing 55 and up for Platinum Photos to exam-ine our line from 32 dozen and up. JEF-FERSON FINE ART GALLER, 521 East Broad; the old reliable; 33 years in the bus-liness in Ruchmond.

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be no extra cost to the advertiser:

ONE LITTLE TEE-DEE MAKES YOU KNOWN; TWO LITTLE TEE-DEES, SEED WELL SOWN; THREE LITTLE TEE-DEES, BRIXGS YOU TRADE; FOUR LITTLE TEE-DEES, YOUR FORTUNE'S MADE.

REWARDS

WANT-AD KNOWLEDGE

To further increase the interest in our classified columns we shall dis-

THREE PRIZES PER DAY.

We shall submit five questions each morning, the answers to which will be found in our columns of that day, and will give prizes as mentioned below to three persons who answer the questions correctly and send in the best articles of about twenty-five words on "Why I Read Advertisements."

Here is to-day's list of questions, the answers to which are to be found in our classified columns to-day :

1. Who advertises "Go-Carts, all Kinds?"
2. Who advertises "Packs Furniture and China?"
3. Who advertises "Original P coss of Antiques?"
4. What advertises "Insa moved his Machine Shop?
5. Who advertises "Country Orders Solicited?"

CONDITIONS.

This contest is coen to all except employes of The Times-Dispatch of members of their families.

Answers to each daily and the contest of the Times-Dispatch of members of their families. ers to each daily set of questions must be received by noon of the following

Answers to each daily set of questions may be defined as white your answers to the questions on one side of the paper and your essay on the other, with your name and address.

Prize winners will be announced in these columns.

Prize Trize—Two tickets to the Bijou for Saturday night.

Second Prize—Fifty cents.

Third Prize—Fifty cents.

FOR SALE.

TO MAKE ROOM FOR OUR SPRING STOCK we will sell the following bargains: Two second-hand Double Trucks, newly painted and in good order, prices \$85, and \$109; one new single-Truck, maile of the best material, \$175; seven second-hand Top Wagons, prices from \$50 to \$90; two light Phaetons, with new tope, newly painted, \$45 each; one heavy Phaeton, with new top, new tires, newly painted, \$60; one single fee Wagon, \$90; \$20 will buy a good city-made Trap, newly painted, new pubber tires, retrimmed, with languages of the property one good Extension Top Carriage, \$75, to an extension top Grocery and Butcher Wagons, the new Grocery and Butcher Wagons, the new Grocery and Butcher Wagons, Phaetons and Street, well sell cheap, Phaetons and Street, \$12, and \$615 Brook Avenue. Those [1457.

FAMILY LEAVING CITY FRIDAY, MARCH 18th, must sell at once, regardless of price, elegant \$490 Upright Cabinet Grand Patto, 71-3 octaves, silver mounted, 2 properting bass; very sympathed methods toorand action; beautiful beauti

FOR SALE-A DEFIRABLE COUNTRY HOME Oit Sale-A Depricable Country House and shall farm of 6 series, with numerous and substantial buildings, door Greenwood, Albemarle county, Va., on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, one and half miles west; bright and dry location; large, young apple and peach orchard; rare chance for a sung home and plenty of fruit. W. S. RODES, Afton, Va.

MULES AND HORSES.
Having just opened at 1917 E. Franklin Street,
L. woolessin and retail stable for sale of
nules and horses, we wish to announce that
we now have on hand a very fine selection
where the reasonable prices. S. 17. of young mules at reasonable prices. S .. CLAY, Prop.; J. S. WHALEY, Salesman.

FOR SALE-NO 2 LANE SAW-MILL COM-plete, with 40 horse-power boiler, 55 horse-power engine, double edger and cut-off saw-all in good order. Audress SAW MILL, Leader, Va.

THERE IS A REASON WHY WE CAN SELL you furniture and house furnishings cheaper than any other store. It is because we have lower expenses. OSTRANDER'S, 200 West Droud Street.

SUITS. SKIRTS. WAISTS, ETC., ALL spring styles, at one-third less than others ask: cash or credit. RICHMOND GARMENT CO., 611 East Broad.

FOR SALE-SEVENTEEN JOB CHASES 13X19, at one-fifth the original cost, also severa larger ones. Apply FIFTH FLOOR, Times-Dispatch Bulking.

FOR SALE-CLIVER TYPEWRITER, LIT-tle used, will sell first offer, as I am leaving city and need money, Address Mr. HARDY, care this office. FOR SALE-AN OLIVER TYPEWRITER slightly used, for \$33 cash. B. E. FINNE GAN, Ashiand, Va.

VARY THE CHEAPEST AND BEST Wood Heaters and Cooking Sto es at BRUCE HARDWARE CO., 508 East Marshall,

GO-CARTS, ALL KINDS; MUST SELL; sacrifice; 317 N. Fifth. TRY FLORA MONTEZ, TEN CENT CIGARS, FOR PURITY AND EXCELLENCE. SIGNS, SIGNS, SIGNS.

WHY! THAT'S A PRETTY SIGN: WHO made it? Why THE SOUTHERN ADV. SIGN COMPANY, INCORPORATED, 1912 E. Main. 'Phone 13'.

BAKERY.

THAT NEW BAKERY, 502 BAST MARSHALL Street, are making the dinest Bread, Vienna Rolls, Gream Putts, Polla Rolls, Jolly Cakes, Holl Jelly Cakes; let us hear from you or come and see us about it. CUAL AND WOOD.

WARNING: WE'RE AFTER YOU. AFTER you, my dear Alphonse: after you, my dear Gaston; we have been watching you for some time; we want your trade, and if low prices and honest business methods will do it we have your case won. How is this? Half ford sawed pine slides, \$2.5 delives? UNIVERSE WINGFIELD, Coal and Wood Dealers, Seventeenth and Washington Streets. Phone 1083.

MOVING.

BOWLES-PIANO, FURNITURE AND freight moving done by careful men at short actics; terms as cheap as any; nine double teams. Phone 64; 30/ N. Second Street.

FURNITURE PACKED. FURNITURE AND CHINA WARE PACKED and shipped with care. JACOB UMLAUF, 705 W. Main. 'Phone 1992. PRINTING.

COUNTRY ORDERS SOLICITED TAYLOR TAYLOR For Street Richmond. Ve.

KEMOVAL.

HAVE MOVED MY MACHINE SHOPS from 310 N. Fifth Street to No. 18 N. Seventh, between Main and Frankin Street, and subjectle store to No. 23% West Broad Street, if A. BLENNER.

TINNING AND PLUMBING. TINNING, PLUMBING, STEAM AND GAS fitting; stove repairing and furnace work done in first-cleas manner at a low price. J. H. HALDY, 1711 W. Main Street. SIGNS, SIGNS, SIGNS

DUR SIGNS BRING HUSINESS; THEY ARE pretty; that's why; and don't cost half as much as you think either. SOUTHERN ADV. SIGN COMPANY. INCORPORATED, 1812 E. Main. These 125.

A First Prize Article

The Tee-Dee Want Advertisements are small but powerful magnates, drawing to all business men trade and success. By looking over the magnets the purchaser sees what he needs and where he can obtain it.

WINNERS

WEDNESDAY, March 9th,

North Tenth Street. Second-A. V. Irvine, No. 901 East

Davenport, No. 13 Third-Leota 6 South Pine Street.

Answers and winners of to-day's questions will appear here Sunday. prizes are requested to call at The Times-Dispatch office for their prizes,

WANTED.

SOMETHING NICE IS WHAT YOU WANT in mattings; big lot of choice new pate in preceived; prices the lowest; from isc. the yard up. OSTRANDER'S, 200 W. Broad Sireet.

WANTED, TO PURCHASE A SECOND-HAND bed-room suite, in good condition; also small sideboard and dining-room chairs. Reply im-mediately, stating lowest cash price, BRUCE, care this office.

150 SKIRTS TO CLOSE AT ONE-THIRD LESS than cost; cash or credit. RICHMOND GAR-MENT CO., 611 East Broad.

IF YOU WANT A STOVE THAT HEATS GO to JURGENS FURNITURE STORE, 419-21 East Brown Street

GO-CARTS. ALL KINDS; MUST SELL; sacrifice; 317 N. Fifth. SQUABS WANTED AT GEO. B. BULL CO.'S, 334 North Sixth Street, Second Market. 'Phone 505.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

JURGENS HAS A MAUNIFICENT SUPPLY of Heating Stoves; they are exceptionally cheap. 100; 419-21 East Broad Street. SIGNS, SIGNS, SIGNS.

LARGEST COMMERCIAL SIGN INSTITU-tion in the South; speaks much for quality and prices. SOUTHERN ADV. SIGN COM-PANY, INCORPORATED, 1812 E. Main. Phone 123.

NOTICE.

Richmond, Va., March 4, 1904.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS,
that I, JOSEPH W. BLANTON, do horsely
constitute and appoint E. F. LEWIS my
agent to conduct the retail grocery business
at No. 1400 North Twenty business
tention conduct. The retail power and authority to the all the property of t JOS. JV. BLANTON.

WANTED, ALL MY FRIENDS AND THE public to know that I have removed my bakery from 25 West Broad Street to 502 E. Marshall Street, where we are prepared to furnish the finest home-unde bread, pan rolls, Vienna rolls, family pies and many other nice things. E. R. GILL.

LOOK! \$22.99 TO BE GIVEN AWAY-ALL coupons bearing date of February 16th will be redeemed for their full value if presented any time up to March 15th. B. PERKIN-SON, SIXH Street Baker, 417 N. SiXth Street. SWELL NEW SUITS AT RICHMOND GAR-MENT CO.; prices guaranteed to please; eredit accounts confidential.

SQUABS WANTED AT GEO. B. BULL CO.'S.
331 North Sixth Street, Second Market.
Phane 505.

GO-CARTS, ALL KINDS; MUST SELL sacrifico; 317 N. Fifth. TRY PARK AVENUE, FIVE CENT CIGAR; YOU'LL BE DELIGHTED. SIGNS, SIGNS, SIGNS

GET OUR PRICES-DOLLARS SAVED, NOT cents; any kind of signs. SOUTHERN ADV. SIGN COMPANY, INCORPOR

WINES AND LIQUORS,

The problem solved; Pikeaville, the best Mary-land Rye, is who is who. Pikeaville, like Pike's Peak, ilwers bowth and the pike's Peak, ilwers bowth in ge enough to make it all the pikeaville in the pikeaville in the pikeaville is the taste of the weak of the per gallon, but it is only 43; full quart bottles. The office of MD BLAKE, Grocer, 738 West Broad Street. Phone 2181.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

TO MY FRIENDS AND PATRONS: HAVING discontinued the grocery business at Third and Main Streets, I wish to thank you for your kind consideration and liberal patronase extended mo for so many years at that stand, and carneatly request that you continue to favor me in the future by sending me your valued orders and calling to see me at the well known and reliable firm of HERMANN SCHMIDT. 50s and 502 E. Broad Street, with whom I have associated myself, guaranteeing you that I shall personnily organic favor orders. Thanking you in advance for your support at my new plate, I beg to remain, Very respectfully, J. E. COX, Jr.

MEETINGS.

DOVE LODGE, NO. 51. A. F. AND A. M.—The stated communication of DOVE LODGE, NO. 51. A. I. and A. M., will be held in the lodge Doon, it and the Masonic Temple, on THIS Members are requested to attend, and members of sister lodges and transient brethren are corlially invited to unite with us. By order of the W. M.

BEN T. AUGUST, Secretary.

THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE UNION ENVISIONE CO. will be held at the City Bank of Richmond at 133 octock P M., MARCH 22, 1994. Secretary and Treasurer

NOTICE. V

Richmond Va. March 10. 1834.

Richmond Va. March 10. 1834.

NOTICE - THE LICENSE TAXES OF 19.4 have been assessed and placed in this office for the inspection of all concerned. These assessed in placed in the state of the comments in the state of 19.4 and will remain in this office actilities of the Commissioner of Revenue on MONDAY, the 20th day of March, 1904.

The Committee on Finance will meet in the office of the Commissioner of Revenue on MONDAY, the 20th day of March, 1904.

All persons interested are notified to attend this meeting of the committee, as no change of classification or taxes will afterwards be made except by order of the Committee on Finance.

ELIV. J. WARREN.

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be forwarded promptly.

25 Words for 25c.

INSPECT OUR WORK FROM START TO finish; if you will you'll find overy depart-ment conducted in a cleanly nianner E. PERKINSON, Sixth Street Baker, 'Phona 1208.

ALL COLORS AND SHADES IN DYBING; Fronch and chemical cleaning; carpet clean-ing and dyeing; rugs woven from old carpets. Mrs. A. J. PYLE, 315 N. Fifth Street, 'Phone 282.

HAVE YOU SEEN THE SHOW OF GO Carts in our window? All kinds, including the little folding ones that you can take on the little folding ones that you can take on the car with you if you wish. G. Carts fr m \$2.50 up. OSTRANDER'S, 200 W. Broad St.

CREDIT PROPOSITION CAN'T BE beat, Get your spring suit of us and convince yourself, RICHMOND GARMENT CO., 611 East Broad.

MONEY LOANED PRIVATE PARTIES—WILL make small loans to salaried people of good character. P. O. Box 523.

SCHREMP, 317 NORTH FIFTH, REPAIRS umbrellas, locks, bells, etc.; specialty, go-SMOKE PARK AVENUE CIGARS; NOTHING BETTER FOR A NICKEL.

SECOND-HAND CLOTHING AND SHOES sold. M. SEIGEL, 1908 E. Main.

SIGNS, SIGNS, SIGNS. THE VOLUME OF BUSINESS WE DO GIVES you the advantage of price and quality. SOUTHERN ADV. SIGN COMPANY, INCORPORATED, 1312 E. Main. Phone 121.

ANTIQUES. CALL AND BE CONVINCED-A FINE COL-lection of original Antiques at low prices. L. N. ARNALL. 318 Brook Avenue.

BUY ANTIQUES OF BIGGS, GET ORIGINAL pieces at lowest prices; satisfaction guaran-teed; 515 East Main.

WANTED, TO BUY FEATHER BEDS; HIGH-est cash prices paid. Phone 3781. J. W. CAS-PER, 12054; West Main Street, city.

NEW WAY TO REPAIR SHOES—WHOLE sole, no joint to leak, no nails to tear the socks, every pair sewed; men's \$11; ladies' \$5c.; heeling \$2c.; rubber heels \$5c. half-solling men's \$5c.; ladies' \$9c. 'Ph ne 2557, we send anywhere DREWS ELECTRIC SHOE FACTORY, 716 E Main Street,

Whereas the General Assembly has, by an act in relation to the cities and towns of this Commonwealth, approved May 20, 1993, required a rearrangement of the wards of the cities of the Commonwealth so as to provide for equal population in each ward so far as practicable; now, therefore,

Be it ordained by the Council of the

ACADEMY Mat & Hight

AMUSEMENTS.

To Morrow, Mat, and Night. EZRA KENDALL, Vinegar Buyer. PRICES: Matinec-\$1,75c,50c,25c, Night-\$1 50, \$1,50c, 35c, 25c.

ACADEMY-Next Week.

HAVERLY'S MINSTRELS. TUESDAY-Night Only, HENRY W. SAVAGE PRESENTS King Dodo. Seats on Sale To-Day

> BIJOU. **BUSY IZZY** Friday Night, Saturd y Night, Saturday Matines.

ILLUSTRATED LECTURE

KOREA: "The Hermit-Kingdom." By
ADMIRAL HARRIE WEBSTER, U. S. N. Y. M. C. A. Hall, Friday, March 11, 1904,
at 8:30 P. M.
Benefit Missionary Societies First
Baptist Church.
Admission 25 Cents.

"Acres of Diamonds."

Y. M. C. A. HALL, MONDAY, MARCH 14th, 8:30 P. M RUSSELL H. CONWELL, The Brilliant Orator

Reserved Seats, 75c., Friday 1 P. M. and The Confederate Museum TWELFTH AND CLAY SIKEAS.

Opens daily from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Admission. 25 cents. Free on Saturdays

The Valentine Museum,

AN ORDINANCE,

(Approved October 23, 1903.)

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I OF RICHMOND CITY CODE, 1898, AS
AMENDED BY AN ORDINANCE APPROVED MARCH 18, 1892, SO AS TO
PROVIDE FOR A REARRANGE
MENT OF THE WARDS OF THE
CITY OF RICHMOND, FIX THE
BOUNDARIES THEREOF, AND TO
PRESCRIBE A NAME FOR EACH
WARD.

MAN ABOUT TOWN (BY HARRY TUCKER.)

There are times when a fellow hates to get up in the morning from his rest-less couch to go out into the troubles of

to get up in the morning from his teless couch to go out into the troubles of the day.

He has recollections of a vivid nature of things that happened the evening before, and he swears that not another drop of soda water or ice cream shall pass hips or drop on the front of his necktie. He is compelled to consume an apple to take the taste out of his mouth.

And sometimes he yearns for a bracer. Some people know what is a bracer-others do not.

It is a thing that is used to put against a wall to prevent its falling over on semebody, and it's something that supports a frail structure.

Bracers do not always brace. It depends entirely upon the architecture of the structure. If that be top-heavy, the bracer may not act.

We have seen bracers fall to act.

When we missed the mattress off our bed and hunted around for it, and found it out in the woodshed, with two boys trying to throw each other on it, we blamed it on Dwyer.

Ever since Dwyer put Pardello's shoulders against the mat we have had torn clothes, bleeding noses, broken fingers, black eyes and dismal howlings about our premises.

premises.

And we are beginning to be looked upon as a neighborhood nuisance.

Fast what care we?

We are as full of the germs of physical culture and deep breathing and hand springs as Melville Daniels or Mike Bayer themselves, and we expect to live in tell about our 100th birthday.

George Sidney told us a great story as we sait in Murphy's dining room and ate samething to eat.

"Yea see," he said, "it was this way. When the airship reached port the wind had died down, and we couldn't raise the dust to get enough gasoline to put in the tark, so that the train at the next station got out ahead of time, because a streak of greased lightning struck the engine.

Wants to Find His Mother.

Shore Acres.

Ezra Kendall. The clover humorist, Ezra Kendail, will be at the Academy of Music Saturday, natinee and night, in his three-act concedy, "The Vinegar Buyer," which was written by Herbert Hall Winslow, aided and abotted by the comedian himself. The scenes in the comedian himself.

Chicken Thieves Abroad.

STEEL AND IRON CO.

LOST AND FOUND.

HELP WANTED-Male.

WANTED, A FULL REGISTERED OR AS-sistant registered drug clerk first-class sal-ary Address J. W ENTWISLE, No. 1120 thing Street, Alexandria, Va.

EXPERIENCED TEACHER DESIRES school by April; teaches English, Latin; took Music several terms; references exchanged, Address Miss WILSON, R. F. D. No. 5, Bed-ford City, Va.

SEWING MACHINE REPAIRS.

NEW MOHAIR AND SILK SHIRT WAIST Suits cheaper than ever at 611 East Broad. Credit if you like. RICHMOND GARMENT CO. HOME FURNISHINGS.

BOARDING.

GRACE ST., E. 505-WANTED, BOARDERS for two connecting front rooms on sec.nd floor, furnished or unfurnished; table boarders utestred; 505 East Grace Street. LENNOX, 1005 EAST MARSHALL; ELE-gant rooms, with or without board.

ROOMS FOR RENT.

12) W. CLAY-FOR RENT.-TWO OR THREE rooms for light housekeeping, with the use of bath; centrally located. For further in-formation apply 12) W. Clay Street. FLATS WANTED.

WANTED, FLAT OF FIVE OR SIX ROOMS or small house, centrally located, for family of two. Address K. C., care this office. REAL ESTATE-For Sale. FOR SALE-SPLENDID FRUIT AND GRASS

farm, 265 neres, near Crozet; three thousand fruit trees, half bearing. Apply ARTHUIL EWING, Nelson county, Va.

WANTED, FLAT OF FIVE OR SIX ROOMS or small house, centrally located, for family of two. Address K. C., care this office.

66,000 ACRE RANOA, \$2.00; 500 ACRE FARM land, \$20.00; no trading. W. H. GRAHAM, Cuero, Tex. REAL ESTATE-For Rent. FOR RENT-STORE AND SEVEN LARGE rooms, with bath and gas, all for \$12,50 month; also suloon, with flutures; low rent. Apply 4th N. Seventh Street, city.

REAL ESTATE WANTED. WANTED, A HOUSE OF EIGHT OR TEN rooms at moderate cost on Grace Street, west of First Street. AANIAS SMITH, care Gen-eral Delivery, city.

SIGNS, SIGNS, SIGNS. LARGEST SIGN INSTITUTION IN THE South; best signs at lowest prices, SOUTH-ERN ADV. SIGN COMPANY, INCORPO-RATED 1312 E. Main. "Phone 123.

BAKERY.

SPECIALS-POLKA ROLLS, SNOW BALLS, Chorolate Eclairs, Cream Puffs and T varieties of small cakes at E. PERKINSON S, Sixth Street Baker, 421 N. Sixth. 'Phone 1294, PIANO MOVING. DO YOU WANT YOUR PIANO MOVED? IF 100, our well trained expert movers and care-ful drivers will do the work. Leave your orders at WALTER D. MORES & CO., 103 East Broad Street. Thome, No. 313.

PIANOS AND ORGANS.

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NOW HAVE THE MOST COMPLETE

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